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In PATENT APPLICATION of:

Confirmation Number: 3244

VAN DIJK ET AL.

Application No.: 09/777,460

Group Art Unit: 2623

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Examiner: V. BALI

For: OBJECT POSITIONING METHOD FOR LITHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

EXTENSION OF TIME

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 1 month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

FEES

The fee for claims and extension of time (37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17) has been calculated as shown below:

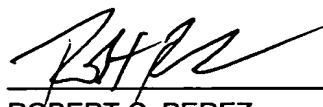
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+	\$ 290.00	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$ 0.00
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE					\$ 110.00
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 110.00

FEE PAYMENT

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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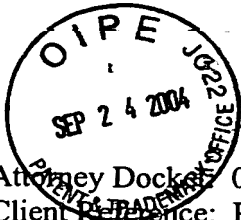
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Sir,

In reply to the Office Action dated June 7, 2004, please amend the above-identified
application as follows: